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BULLET IN HEART.

Edward A. Simmons Ends His Troubles With A Pistol.

Was Despondent Over Lack of Work And Other Troubles.

Edward A. Simmons, until recently an engineer at the Dalton Stone Works, committed suicide on New year's morning, shooting himself in the heart. About two weeks ago the rock quarry shut down and threw him out of employment and he had ever since been in a very despondent frame of mind.

On Friday morning he arose early and went to a butcher shop to get some meat for the family breakfast. Soon after returning he went into another room and shot himself. He had told his wife upon waking up that he intended to kill himself that day, but she did not take the threat seriously. It was afterwards that he went down in town for the meat.

Mr. Simmons was formerly an engineer on the L. & N. railroad, several years ago. It is said he had been promised a new position at the Asylum this week.

Deceased was about 45 years old and leaves a wife and several children.

Coroner Allensworth held an inquest over the body and a verdict of suicide was rendered.

The deceased was a member of the Odd Fellows lodge of Henderson. Members of the local lodge accompanied the remains to the Simmons burying ground, near Elmo, Saturday, where the interment took place.

GONE TO CINCINNATI.

Rev. Bond Accepts Charge of Church in Ohio.

The Rev. A. R. Bond, late pastor of the Baptist Church at Pembroke, has accepted a call to Price Hill Baptist Church in Cincinnati. He left last week for Cincinnati to enter upon his new charge.

Death of An Infant.

The three-months-old child of Mrs. Sadie Jesup died at the home of its mother, on South Virginia street, of pneumonia.

MBROKE GANG

To Indicted and Tried at Once.

Grand Jury Now in Session--summe of the Terrible Crime.

Circuit court convened yesterday in special session to try the Pembroke gang of murderers.

Justice Thos. Cook, Commonwealth Attorney Smith and Circuit Clerk Claude Clark, qualified for terms of office and the first business done was to empanel the special grand jury, as follows:

J. Dabney, foreman; G. W. Cobb, Wm. McGar, C. W. Garrett, D. Jones, W. E. Adcock, ClaBoates, R. G. Rickman, Geo. B. 41, W. T. Bonte, J. M. Bulard, Matthew Croft.

Fifty petit jurors have been summoned for to-morrow.

Sheriff was ordered to bring these prisoners from Madisonville.

Resume of the Case.

A special session of court is for the indictment and trial of nine negroes, who are charged with the murder and robbery of an unknown white man, who was sleeping by a campfire on the night of Nov. 14, near Pembroke, Ky.

Eight negroes were charged with the crime are: George Holland, aged 50. Hank Carnegy, aged 32. Hank Massee, aged 72. Giles Finch, aged 27. J. Holland, aged 25. J. Garrett, aged 30. J. Moseley, aged 19. Hank Merriwether, aged 22. Hank Sherman, aged 25.

The arrests were brought about by Detective Lawrence Moore, assisted by Town Marshal Joseph E. Jason, of Pembroke. George Holland was first arrested and when confronted with certain points of evidence against him he confessed and implicated seven more men. Lar Ed Moseley told the officers that he saw the murder committed and was afraid to tell it and he was taken in charge.

According to Holland's confession the negroes were in Pembroke, on Saturday, Nov. 14, and saw the stranger display a roll of money and watched him when he went to R. Chilton's farm and camped

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in the woods. He built a fire and went to sleep. The negroes during the night crept upon him and Holland says Merriwether dealt the sleeping man a murderous blow with the pick handle afterwards found in the leaves. The body quivered, and to complete the work George Holland sprang upon the dying man and cut his throat, while Bill Garrett held him. He says Sherman was the leader, but all of the gang took part in searching and robbing the body. The spoils were divided and the murderers then disfigured the dead man's face by cutting away the flesh and burying it in the ground. They lacerated the throat, cut off the ears and mutilated the body. The clothes were slashed and torn, the shoes taken off and burned and the body dragged to the pile of rails some distance away and concealed, where it was afterwards found. When found it had been rooted about by hogs and had the appearance of having been partially devoured.

Gov. Becham offered a reward of \$250 for the capture and conviction of the murderers. County Judge Fowler offered \$50 and these amounts were supplemented by the people of Pembroke, who subscribed \$100 to a reward fund.

A glove dropped near the scene

by Frank Mercedith, alias Merriwether, was the first clue discovered and he was kept under watch. George Holland's actions also excited suspicions and it was finally decided to take him in charge with the result given above.

The identity of the murdered man is still a mystery.

The prisoners were arrested Dec. 12 and after remaining in the Hopkinsville jail for two weeks were taken to Madisonville Dec. 24, on account of rumors of mob violence.

SHOPS DESTROYED.

Tennessee Central Suffers by Fire in Nashville.

The East Yard shops of the Tennessee Central Railroad, in South Nashville, were destroyed by fire Thursday evening, the fire breaking out in the blacksmith shop at 6:45 o'clock. The total valuation of property burned and damaged will reach about \$150,000, the actual loss between \$75,000 and \$80,000. The loss borne by the railroad will not be more than \$18,000. The insurance carried was \$74,000.

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The fortunate holders of successful tickets were as follows:

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2—100 lbs Granulated Sugar.	40509	Mr. James Skarry
3—1 Fancy Broom.	28018	C. W. Foster
4—12 packages Arbuckle's Coffee.	31285	Douglas Terry
5—1 bbl. Finest Patent Flour.	31439	Prof. M. McEacham
6—Year subscription to Independent.	18070	L. L. Leavelle
7—1 White Bowl and Pitcher.	37066	N. L. Shivers
8—1 box 100 cakes Pretty Soap.	37290	W. L. A. Adcock
9—1 Tin Water Set.	17187	Henry Siles
10—60 lb sack Family Flour.	28330	Ed Hunter
11—1 box 50 Jockey Cakes.	10227	Henry Siles
12—Year subscription Kentuckian.	41014	W. L. Gore
13—1 bbl Cuba Molasses.	30128	Frank Robinson
14—20 lbs Granulated Sugar.	30170	Dr. T. W. Blakey
15—6 lb box Creama Candy.	37328	Chas. West
16—Elegant 12-piece Chamber Set.	17578	James Allen
17—24 lb sack Patent Flour.	18838	W. A. P. Pool
18—10 lb Red Gravy Pan.	34982	R. L. Carter
19—Year sub. Weekly New Era.	40104	E. G. Bennett
20—Extra large French Hot Trap.	37367	J. M. Tinsley
21—100 lbs. Granulated Sugar.	24811	J. M. Hall
22—12 packages Piles Pearline.	36300	C. R. Haydon
23—1 Fancy Coal Vase.	25635	Miss Kate O'Brien
24—8 lb box Ky. Diamond Tobacco.	30925	L. A. McReynolds
25—6 qt. Granite Bucket.	28392	Mr. Phil Davis
26—Year sub. Daily New Era.	16838	E. W. Ward
27—6 cans Ferndal Corn.	30900	J. F. Richardson
28—6 lb box Lowmyer's Candy.	33902	W. H. Elgin
29—1 box Chase & Sanborn's Seal Brand Mocha and Java Coffee.	34708	Ben F. Boyd
30—6 lb Red Lake Smoking Tobacco.	24308	E. G. Pedigo
31—12 cakes Lard Oil Toilet Soap.	17448	Peter Gladly
32—Year sub. Hopkinsville Messenger.	28212	Mrs. L. A. Giles
33—One wooden top Dough Kneader and Beaten Biscuit Machine.	25602	Mrs. Amanda Hopsen
34—Year sub. Ladies Home Journal.	16320	Dave Fiel
35—One Elegant Parlor Lamp.	39788	G. O. T. Herndon

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THE DRESSMAKERS' RACE

sees was so crowded with people that the police could only with difficulty keep a narrow lane up the center for the pedestrians. The result was

That when the starting pistol was fired those facing the avenue dashed forward and took the lead, while the girls to right and left of the line had

...fall in behind. In fact, a procession was formed with ranks five or six deep; those in the rear had no more chance of forcing their way through the solid mass in front of

But it was intensely amusing to see how seriously the competitors all took the affair. With set teeth and clenched

hands, their eyes glued to the road in front of them, they raced along. I am afraid, if the ordinary rules of heel-and-toe walking were applied to the race, about 90 per cent. or so

would be disqualified. Many of them covered the ground at a sort of gliding run, which was very far removed from walking. But as they were all

more or less offenders, it did not matter much. There is no doubt about the way they got over the ground. By the time the Ronde point in the Thames Estuary was reached, they

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The talk of war between Japan and Russia is still a front page topic with the newspapers, but the news from St. Petersburg is of a more hopeful tone. The answer of Russia to Japan's peace proposal is expected in a few days.

The new State officers, excepting the Governor and Lieutenant Governor, who qualified Dec. 8th, went into office yesterday. The only political change is in the case of the Attorney General, Hon. N. B. Democrat, succeeding Judge Hays C. J. Pratt, Republican.

An epidemic of marriages among the public school teachers at Omaha is seriously interfering with the schools. Nebraska will probably have to follow the example of Kansas and require lady teachers to sign contracts not to marry during the school year.

At Cannel City, Ky., Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Candill and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Candill are remarkable couples in that the husbands are twins and the wives are twins and all are red headed. The men are very much alike and the women can hardly be distinguished by their own husbands. The brothers did their courting together and the couples were both married under one ceremony.

Circuit Judge-elect John P. Newman, of Newport, died Friday of a hemorrhage of the lungs, after an illness of nine weeks. He had taken the oath of office, but as he died three days before his term was to begin, an interesting question is raised. It is not clear whether his predecessor, Judge J. T. Hodge, will hold over, or a new election be ordered.

Auditor Hager has announced his intention to appoint Mr. J. A. Fuqua, of Owensboro, to be one of the four auditor's agents authorized by a special law passed in 1902. The four agents appointed, qualified for terms of four years, and they will resist removal by the new auditor, T. C. Abritton was the one designated for removal to make a place for the Governor's father-in-law.

As a result of the Iniquitous theatre fire in Chicago, the Louisville city council will pass an ordinance to night requiring every playhouse in the city to have an asbestos curtain, and to widen the aisles in the houses. The ordinance should also provide that the asbestos curtains be arranged so as to be lowered in case of a fire.

CALVIN HURT.

Carl Couple Married Here by County Judge.

Mr. Jesse Calvin and Miss D. M. Hurt, young people living near Carl, this county, were married Friday afternoon. The ceremony was performed by Judge Fowler in the County Clerk's office.

Mr. Ellis McKee has resigned his place in the City Bank to become book-keeper for Sam. Frankel.

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Mrs. Selina Hall Passes Away in The West.

Mrs. Selina J. G. Hall died in Colorado on the 30th, aged 80 years. Deceased was the widow of Dr. Hall, who for a long time resided near Lafayette, this county. She moved from Christian to Nashville, Tenn., several years ago and located in Colorado about a year ago. She was the mother of Allan G. Hall, the well known Nashville lawyer, Miss, Lizzie Hall, and Mr. Charles Hall, of Missouri. She was a member of the Presbyterian Church.

When you don't feel right—aren't yourself—but don't know what is the matter, try taking Walther's Peppermint. It is just a good common sense tonic that works in a natural way. It is simply a combination of pure peppermint, nature's own digestive agent—with that fine, old tonic—good port wine.

If it doesn't do the work you need a doctor.

If you are not in need of a doctor it will do the work.

Do not experiment with patent nostrums of mysterious make-up, which you would not touch if you knew their composition. Small size 50 cents, large size \$1.00. For sale by Anderson, Fowler & Jas. O. Cook, Hopkinsville.

Young-Sharber.

A marriage license was issued yesterday to Ray S. Young to wed Miss Emma Sharber. The young people live in North Christian.

Irregular bowel movements lead to chronic constipation. Prickly Ash Bitters is a reliable system regulator; cures permanently. R. C. Hardwick, Special agent.

TWENTY-THREE INQUESTS.

Six Murders, Four Suicides and Five Killed by Railroads.

Coroner James L. Allensworth has compiled the following report of inquests held by him during 1903, 28 for the year. The dates of deaths and causes are given, all being single inquests:

- Jan. 18—Heart failure.
- " 26—Sudden death.
- Feb. 11—Epileptic fit.
- " 18—Accident.
- April 6—Sudden death.
- " 17—Killed by L. & N. train.
- " 27—Sudden death.
- May 3—Suicide.
- " 23—Sudden death.
- " 29—Found dead.
- " 30—Suicide.
- June 3—Killed by L. & N. train.
- July 3—Murdered.
- " 7—Suicide.
- Aug. 1—Murdered.
- " 12—Killed by L. & N. train.
- " 15—Murdered.
- Sept. 28—Suicide.
- " 30—Killed by train.
- Oct. 16—Killed by T. C. train.
- " 31—Accidentally killed.
- Nov. 3—Murdered.
- " 13—Murdered.
- " 17—Murdered.
- Dec. 15—Sudden death.
- " 23—Sudden death.
- " 27—Sudden death.

TAYLOR-JOINER.

Young Physician and School Teacher United in Marriage.

Dr. E. F. Taylor and Miss Edna Joiner, both of near Lafayette, were married last Thursday. The groom was recently graduated from a medical college. His bride is a daughter of Mr. N. S. Joiner and has been teaching school near Dover, Tenn., for some time. The couple will leave in a few days for Oklahoma to reside.

ABOUT BANKS.

Local Institutions and Others in County Represented.

All The Financial Concerns Enjoying Prosperous Business, As Shown by Statements.

The local banks present to the public in this issue of the Kentucky statements if their condition at the close of business Dec. 31, 1903. All of these financial institutions are conducted by business men of experience and the statements show a most excellent condition.

Bank of Lafayette.

In this issue also appears the statement of the Bank of Lafayette, at the close of the year and a perusal of same is invited. The statement shows this bank to be in a thriving condition, which fact will be of general interest to the people of that section.

Farmers and Merchants Bank.

We present to our readers a statement of the Farmers and Merchants Bank of Pembroke, at the close of business Dec. 31, 1903. The statement is a most excellent one in its every detail and shows a most prosperous and substantial condition.

Bank of Pembroke.

The statement of the Bank of Pembroke is published in this paper to-day and the attention of the public is called to same. The figures show this financial concern to be one of the most substantial in this section. A perusal of the savings department will prove of especial interest.

Richard L. Butler, who recently filed suit against Policeman L. A. Morris and his sureties for \$1,000 damages, has brought another damage suit against Ex-Lieutenant of Police, Harvey McCord and the city of Hopkinsville, for a similar amount. He alleges that in October last McCord, in making an arrest, unlawfully clubbed the plaintiff. It is further alleged that the city did not require of McCord the bond prescribed, and therefore the town is made a party to the suit.

Prickly Ash Bitters cures the kidneys, regulates the liver and purifies the bowels. A valuable system tonic.—R. C. Hardwick, Special Agent.

Mr. H. R. Price left last week for Grand Rapids, Mich., to take charge of a wholesale house for which he travels. He will be gone a month.

PROVERBS

"When the butter won't come put a penny in the churn," is an old time dairy proverb. It often seems to work though no one has ever told why.

When mothers are worried because the children do not gain strength and flesh we say give them Scott's Emulsion.

It is like the penny in the milk because it works and because there is something astonishing about it.

Scott's Emulsion is simply a milk of pure cod liver oil with some hypophosphites especially prepared for delicate stomachs.

Children take to it naturally because they like the taste and the remedy takes just as naturally to the children because it is so perfectly adapted to their wants.

For all weak and pale and thin children Scott's Emulsion is the most satisfactory treatment.



We will send you the penny, I.e., a sample free.

Be sure that this picture in the form of a label is on the wrapper of every bottle of Emulsion you buy.
SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, 409 Pearl St., N. Y. 50c. and \$1.00; all druggists.

QUARTERLY REPORT

BANK OF LAFAYETTE, at close of business on the 31st day of Dec., 1903.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	36,329.02
Overdrafts, secured	50.53
Overdrafts, unsecured	68.23
Due from National Banks	0.00
Due from State Banks and Banks	5,166.53
Due from Trust Companies	0.00
Banking House and Lot	1,600.00
Other Real Estate	0.00
Mortgages	0.00
U. S. Bonds	0.00
Other Stocks and Bonds	0.00
Special	\$1,660.00
Current	2,298.81
Exchange for Clearings	0.00
Other items carried as cash	0.00
Furniture and Fixtures	1,600.00
Fund to pay taxes	0.00
Current Expenses	0.00
last quarter	0.00
Given description, location, value and how long owned, all real estate, except banking house and lot, if any owned longer than five years, none	
Notes in Process of Collection	651.26

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in, in cash	15,000.00
Surplus Fund	1,300.00
Undivided Profits	385.20
Due depositors as follows, viz:	
Deposits subject to check, which interest is not paid	22,208.61
Deposits subject to check (on which interest is paid)	0.00
Time certificates of deposits (on which interest is paid)	0.00
Saving deposits (on which interest is paid)	0.00
Certified Checks	22,208.61
Due National Banks	570.57
Due State Banks and Banks	0.00
Due Trust Companies	0.00
Cashier's checks outstanding	0.00
Bills re-discounted	7,500.00
Unpaid Dividends	600.00

SUPPLEMENTARY.

Highest amount of indebtedness of any stockholder, person, company or firm (including in the liability of the company or firm the liability of the individual members thereof) directly or indirectly incurred in the business of the bank, and in excess of 20 per cent. of capital stock actually paid in, and actual amount of surplus of the bank

How is indebtedness stated in above list?

How is same secured?

Does amount of indebtedness of any person, company or firm including in the liability of the company or firm the liability of the individual members thereof, exceed 20 per cent. of paid-up capital and actual surplus?

If, state amount of such indebtedness.

Amount of loss of dividends.

Were all expenses, losses, interest and taxes deducted therefrom before declaring dividends, and was not less than 10 per cent. of net assets of the bank for the period covered by the dividend carried over to the next dividend?

Is the dividend declared?

\$47,564.38

STATE OF KENTUCKY.

I, R. J. Carothers, President, of The Bank of Lafayette, a bank located and doing business at No. Main street, in the Town of Lafayette, in said county, being duly sworn, say that the foregoing report is in all respects a true statement of the condition of said bank, at the close of business on the 31st day of Dec., 1903, to the best of his knowledge and belief; and further says that the business of said bank has been transacted at the location named, and not elsewhere; and that the above report is made in compliance with an official notice received from the Secretary of State, designating the 31st day of Dec., 1903, as the day on which such report shall be made.

R. J. CAROTHERS, President.
E. D. WEATHERS, Director
H. C. LOCKER, Director.
E. D. BOGARD, Director.

Subscribed and sworn to before me by J. R. Carothers, President, this 31st day of Dec., 1903.
Ed. L. Weathers, N. P. C. C., Ky.
My commission expires at the end of the next session of the Senate.

NOTICE—A dividend of 4 per cent. for the six months ending Dec. 31, 1903, was this day declared payable to the stockholders on demand. Ed. L. Weathers, Cashier.

Frankel's sales are always as advertised.

If you don't buy Clothing from J. T. Wall & Co. you don't buy Clothing RIGHT!

A Man's Christmas!

You can hunt the map all over and you can't find another store where there so many

Appropriate Gifts for Men and Boys.

Come to a Man's store for a Man's things. We know what is right and correct and we know what men like. Our Coats, Suits. Full Dress White Vests, Rain Coats, Hats, Silk Umbrellas, Dress Suit Cases, Beautiful Neckwear. Handsome Mufflers. Gloves for heavy wear, Fancy Half Hose, Suspenders. Collars, Shirts of all kinds, Cuff Buttons, Shirt Studs, Pair Odd Pants. Stiff Hats, Breast Protectors, Way Mufflers and Silk Handkerchiefs.

Again we say a man's store for a man's things. Everything for Boys too.

J. T. Wall & Co.
ONE PRICE STORE

A Special Offering

In the way of good goods for your money is what we are offering for the Holidays. Do not wait until the last day to do your

Christmas Buying,

But come while the stock is complete. Every one who sees the line says it is beautiful and you will miss a treat if you do not stop in. We are holding open house for the next week, and will be glad to see you.

Hopper & Kitchen.

THE Giant Insurance Agency.

Writes Fire, Tornado, Life Bond and other kinds of Insurance.

Negotiating Loans a Specialty.

Parties wishing to borrow small or large sums can usually get what they want at this office. No patron has ever invested a dollar through this Agency that was not well secured and which did not prove good.

T. W. Long, Walter Kelly, Guy Starling, President, General Manager, Sec'y. and Treas.

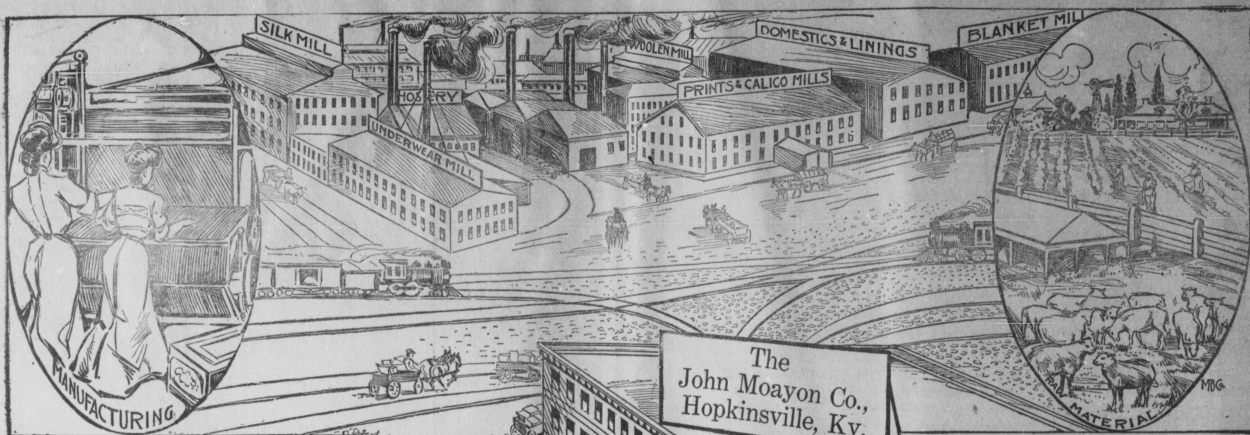
1904—The World's Fair Line—1904. Louisville, Henderson & St. Louis Railway.

Three trains daily between Henderson, Owensboro, Louisville and points East. Excellent connections in Louisville for Frankfort, Lexington, Cincinnati and Eastern cities. Elegant equipments on all trains. Parlor cars on day trains. Pullman Vestibuled Sleepers on night trains.

L. S. Irwin, G. P. A., G. L. Garrett, T. P. A. LOUISVILLE, KY.

LOOM END SALE

AT
The John Moayon Co.



A Big Money Saver.

**Commencing Saturday
Jan. 9th, Continuing 'Till
Jan. 29th.**

Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000) worth of choice Merchandise, consisting of Dry Goods, Dress Goods, Flannelettes, Outing Cloth, Domestics, Ginghams, Percales, Madras Cloth, Calicos, Laces, Embroideries and Hosiery. This is the first sale of this kind ever held in Hopkinsville, as the goods come direct from the various mills, and we positively guarantee a net saving of 25 per cent. No old shop-worn goods will be offered. We will have additional help to assist us. Remember the date---next Saturday, January 9, continuing 'till the 29th, and come early.

THE JOHN MOAYON COMPANY, HOPKINSVILLE'S GREATEST STORE.

Here and There.

Dr. Yates fits glasses.
Dr. E. N. Fruit, Dentist, office
over City Bank, Hopkinsville, Ky.

FOR SALE--Scholarship in
Bryant & Stratton Business Col-
lege, Louisville. This office.

FOR SALE--A Caligraph Type-
writer, good as new, at a bargain.
Inquire at this office.

Wild Goose Liniment cures rheu-
matism and neuralgia. 25c at all
druggists.

Mrs. W. M. Hill has taken the
local agency for one of the subscrip-
tion agencies for all kinds of pa-
pers and periodicals. She can
save you money from publishers'
rates.

T. A. Smithson has accepted a
position as traveling salesman for
the Fairbanks Morse Co. of Louis-
ville.

WANTED--Everybody afflicted
with Rheumatism to write us de-
scribing his or her case. Rheuma-
tism is our specialty and you shall
have our advice without charge.
Will write you personally on re-
ceipt of two-cent stamp for postage.
Address: VIN-ERDA CHEMICAL CO.,
Louisville, Ky.

Frankel's sales
are always wel-
come. They only
advertise facts.

WILL BEGIN SATURDAY.

Moayon's Great Loom End Sale
Starts Jan. 9.

The John Moayon Company has
purchased from manufacturers di-
rect the loom ends in a variety of
goods. These consist of outings,
flannelettes, ginghams, percales,
laces and embroideries. These will
be sold at prices far below the cost
of manufacture. This great spec-
ial sale for this purpose will begin
Saturday Jan. 9, and continue ten
days.

No such opportunity for bargains
has ever been offered by any mer-
chant in Hopkinsville.

These goods are not defective
remnants, shop room samples or
out-of-date patterns, but are new
and strictly up-to-date goods. Pat-
terns are for the coming spring of
1904. Do not fail to attend this sale.
If you don't need the goods now, it
will pay you to buy them while they
can be had at the unheard of prices
they will be offered at. The Moayon
Company is proposing to handle
the sale with an extra force and
are prepared for any rush that may
come. They do not believe in
deceiving the public with so-called
cheap sales, quoting cut prices on a
few articles and raising prices on
others. Remember the date--Sat-
urday Jan. 9.

Calendar for 1904.

Patrons of the paper are invited
to call at the Kentuckian office and
get a calendar for the year 1904.
Free to subscribers.

Miss Bet Ware returned to Wash-
ington yesterday.

ALLEN-GREER.

Groom From Paris and Bride of
This City.

Mr. B. M. Allen, a prominent
young business man of Paris, Tenn.,
and Miss Jessie Greer, the pretty
and popular daughter of Capt. J.
T. Greer, were married at the
home of the bride's parents on West
Seventh street Friday night. Elder
H. D. Smith officiated.

No Pity Shown.

"For years fate was after me
continuously," writes F. A. Gul-
ledge, Verbena, Ala. "I had a
terrible case of piles, causing 24
tumors. When all failed Bucklen's
Arnica Salve cured me. Equally
good for burns and all aches and
pains. Only 25c at Hardwick's
drug store.

OPERA HOUSE

One Night Only,
Friday, Jan. 8th.

The Great Show of the Day!

The Original and Only
Barlow & Wilson's
GREATER NEW YORK
MINSTRELS.

Sixteen Skilful Dancers, 10 Cul-
tured Singers, 12 Specialties, 21 in
Grand Military Band and 10 in
Solo Orchestra.
The Swell Parade of the Min-
strel World.

Prices--25c, 35c, 50c, 75c.
Seats on sale at
the Postal Telegraph office.

BARLOW AND WILSON'S

Minstrels Next Attraction at Hol-
land's Opera House.

The great Barlow and Wilson's
opera house next Friday night,
Jan. 8. They are always popular
in Hopkinsville and on the occasion
of their visit here this week they
will present a high-class program.

A recent issue of the Cincinnati
Enquirer had the following mention
of their appearance in that city:
"There was a gathering of minstrel
lovers that packed the opera
house to the doors last night, that
assembled to pay court to Barlow
and Wilson's minstrels, as they
appear on their annual engagement.
The performance consisted entirely
of modern attractions. The people
went to witness the fine de sicle
minstrels of the season, and found
them leaders by several lengths,
for everything went fast enough to
keep the most lively on the qui vive.
Their efficient agent told the truth
when he said that the company
was better this year than ever be-
fore. The performance abounds in
new features, which kept the au-
dience in a continual state of hil-
larity, the hit of the evening being
made by 'The Great Barlow and
Wilson.' The vocal numbers are
gems of the first water. The com-
pany is far superior to the usual
standard attraction."

FLINCH CLUB.

The Maic street flinch club will
meet Friday night with Misses
Fannie and Lillie Belle Phelps.
Members who cannot attend are
expected to notify in advance.

HURT-PHIPPS.

Quiet Wedding Takes Place on
Seventeenth Street.

Mr. J. E. Hurt, a well known
young farmer of near Fairview,
and Miss Amy Phipps, daughter of
Mrs. W. W. Phipps, were married
late last Thursday afternoon at
the residence of Mr. Robt. Brown,
on East Seventeenth street. Only
a few of the relatives and most in-
timate friends of the young people
witnessed the happy affair.

Brutally Tortured.

A case came to light that for
persistent and unmerciful torture
has perhaps never been equaled.
Joe Gotobick of Colusa, Calif.,
writes: "For 15 years I endured
insufferable pain from rheumatism
and nothing relieved me though I
tried everything known. I came
across Electric Bitters and it's the
greatest medicine on earth for that
trouble. A few bottles of it com-
pletely relieved and cured me."
Just as good for liver and kidney
troubles and general debility. Only
50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by
R. C. Hardwick, druggist.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

More Than Three Hundred Issued
During Past Year.

There were 326 marriage licenses
issued by the County Clerk during
the year 1903. They were divided
as follows: white, 147; colored 179.
This is a slight increase over the
year before, but the number issued
in December fell considerably short
of the December 1902 issue.

XMAS

Is over and I wish to ex-
tend to my many friends
and customers my heart-
felt gratitude for the lib-
eral patronage given me
during the year 1903, and
solicit a liberal share of
same the coming year.

I am going to continue
to do business at the same
old stand--No. 8 Main
Street--and my purpose
to carry a first class
stock of goods and make
prices that will please the
closest and most econ-
omical buyers. Try me and
if I fail to treat you right,
you are at liberty to pass
me by.

Very Respectfully,

JACK MEADOR
No. 8 South Main Street.

S. G. BUCKNER, WALTER KNIGG,
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Buy and Sell City and
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